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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph on page 5, lines 7 and 8, as follows:

Fig. 2 is a side elevation view in partial ~~cross-section~~  
cross-section of a non-adjustable embodiment of a multiple bit  
drill;

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Please amend the paragraph on page 10, lines 8 through 18, as follows:

Figures 10 and 11 describe the essential features of this embodiment. For example, Figure 10 is a bottom view of housing 51, showing 17 small gears meshed. In this illustration, all gears are assumed to be 1/2 inch pitch diameter. Central drive gear 52 53 has a drive shaft (not shown) which penetrates the top flange of housing 51 and then couples with drill/driver 2. ~~Gear~~ Central drive gear 52 53, as well as all other drive gears 53, preferably have a blind square hole in the center. Idler gears 54 mesh with the drive gears ~~(52 and 53)~~ 53 to insure that all drive gears 53 drive in the same direction and are synchronous. In this example, nine drive gears 53 are shown; fewer or more can be configured.